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SUBJECT: BIRTHDAY GREETINGS FOR BREZHNEV

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO
GENERAL SECRETARY BREZHNEV:

QUOTE: DEAR MR. GENERAL SECRETARY: I TAKE SPECIAL
PLEASURE IN EXTENDING MY PERSONAL CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU
ON THE OCCASION OF YOUR SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY. I KNOW THAT
THIS IS A VERY SPECIAL DAY FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. I
RECALL OUR MEETINGS OVER THE PAST YEARS, AND ON BEHALF OF
MYSELF AND MRS. FORD PERMIT ME TO OFFER MY VERY BEST
WISHES TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY FOR CONTINUED HEALTH AND
HAPPINESS. SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD. UNQUOTE.

2. NO RELEASE INTENDED BUT NO OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT
WISHES TO RELEASE.
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